LEAD-PENCIL writing can be made durable by holding it over steam until it is quite damp, and then allowing it to dry without being rubbed.

THE centennial celebration cost New York State and city about \$400,000, and the strangers who crowded the city for three days left behind them not less

AT Pittsburgh Kate Snyder, aged about twenty years, wanted to improve her looks. She was told that belladonna would make her eyes sparkle and she took it. She barely escaped death.

THE Chickasaw Legislature now holding session at Tishomingo, has passed a bill disfranchising all the squaw men in the Territory. The squaw man is the white husband of a Chickasaw

One of the novel sights on the North Pacific Coast railroad will be a tunnel brough a tree, as it is proposed to run ne directly through the stump of a large redwood tree that was recently

THE recent centennial celebration showed that 70,000 troops could be concentrated at New York in fifteen hours should the necessity arise. This, at least, is the judgment of a military offi-cer detailed to make observations.

THE Manufacturer's Record of Baltimore has been interviewing southern banks with reference to business, present and prospective. From information thus obtained, the Record says activity never before equaled in every line of industry is seen there.

THE centennials began in Massa-chusetts in 1875. There were two or three during that year. Philadelphia monopolized 1876, but since then we have had them every year in one place and another. The one in New York the other day was the climax.

TREASURY notes printed after the middle of the month will bear the name of James N. Huston, Treasurer of the United States. The substitution of his signature for that of the present Treasurer will be done on the plate by simply beating out the old signature and engraving a new fac-simile of Mr. Huston's autograph in its place.

THE Agricultural Department of the general government has been making ne experiments regarding the effects of cotton seed meal as food for cows upon the butter product, and the reults are somewhat surprising. One effect especially, is to raise the melting point of the butter, a very desirable consideration in warm countries.

ment absolutely and forever prohibits all traffic in spirituous liquors and beverages. Connecticut also will vote on the question this year, allowing, however, the manufacture of intoxicating liquors to go on for sacramental, medicinal, scientific, mechanical and art

its outstanding indebtedness at the rate of more than \$100,000,000 a year, other governments are borrowing money to eet current necessities. France and Italy are each borrowing \$200,000,000, Austria-Hungary \$65,000,000, and Russia \$40,000,000. No government can make a showing equal to that of the United States.

Various governments pay their chiefs as follows: The United States, \$50,000 a year; Persia, \$30,000,000; Russia, \$10,000,000; Siam, \$10,000,000; Spain, \$3,900,000; Italy, \$3,000,000; Great Britain, \$3,000,000; Morocco, \$2,-500,000; Japan, \$2,300,000; Egypt, \$1,-575,000; Germany, \$1,000,000; Saxony, \$700,000; Portugal, Sweden and Brazil, ch \$600,000; France, \$200,000; Hayti, \$240,000; Switzerland, \$3,000.

PROFESSC FRESENIUS, of Wiesbaden. after a long series of chemical analyses, declares that an egg contains as much ishment as a pound and an ounce of cherries, a pound and a quarter of grapes, a pound and a half of russet apples, two pounds of gooseberries, and ir pounds of pears, and that 114 pounds of grapes, 127 pounds of russet apples, 192 pounds of pears and 327 inds of plums are equal in nourishent to 100 pounds of potatoes.

DENMARK has a new and unique so-It is called the 'Celibacy Assurance Society." its object being to provide for women who can't or won't marry. Premiums begin at the age of thirteen and end at forty. At the later age an unmarried woman receives an annuity for life. If she marries at any time after taking out a policy, she forfeits all claims on the society. profits of the society are expected to be ough to provide well for members who never marry.

THE agricultural prospects of the United States were perhaps never better than they are to-day. Mr. Prime, of Chicago, a veteran crop reporter and agricultural statistician, concludes his review of the situation as follows: "I can not recall in the history of my crop work, and have watched the crops day in and day out, all over the country, for the last fifteen years, a single set son when the general prospects for every thing were as favorable on the first of May as they are the present

PAYMASTER ROBBED.

Arizona Bandits Attack His Escort From Ambush.

Troops Assailed While Removing an Ob-struction—Fierce Fight of Haif an Hour's Duration—Eight Guards Wounded.

WILCOX, A. T., May 13.—Particulars of the robbery of Major J. W. Wham, Paymaster of the United States army, at a point half way letween Fts. Grant and Thomas, about noon Saturday, have just been received at this place. A large bowlder had been reli-ed into the middle of the road, and as the ed into the middle of the road, and as the ambulance bearing the Paymaster and the clerk approached they halted. About half of the escort left their arms in the wagon and approached to the front of the ambulance. While in the very act of rolling it aside a volley was fired at them from a seclude i spot almost directly over and within fifty teet of them. Every body seeing the imminent danger rushed to arms and a lively fusited began, the guard having reached a place of partial safety behind some neighboring rocks. The fight lasted fully thirty minutes, resulting in the wounding of eight of the guards, at least one of whom will die. Two of the men were wounded The fighting of the soldlers is reported by Major Wham as being the most cool and collect-Wham as being the most cool and collected he ever saw. The clerk, Mr. W. T. Gibbon, was shot through the cloth-ing, but escaped any injuries. The strong box, which con-tained \$29,000 was secured. This was broken open and the money taken by the robbers. Troops were at once sent from all poss in the southern part of the Territory. Twenty well-instructed and experienced Inlian scouts from San Carlo, under the able command of Lieu-tenant Wa'son, were soon at the place of bloodshed and started to scout the mountains in the vicinity. A company of in-fantry, under the command of Leutenant James, of the Twe ty-fourth Infantry, are James, of the Twe ty-fourth Infantry, are picketing the Graham Mountains and passes through which the robbers might effect an escape. The Southern Pacific trains were searched last night by United States troop, but no one found. The civil authorities are working hard, and it will be nothing short of a miracle if the Tobbers escape. It is reported by Major Wham to be the most flendish outrage he ever witnessed. The fighting of the sol-diers had a good effect, as it is known two of the robbers were hastily carried away by pack-mules, either dead or wounded, and the trail is noticeable by the blood of those men. The entire country has been scouted all day, but as yet no one has seen the robbers, out it is the general belief among the military authorities that it is a question of lut a short while until they are brought to justice.

Baptized at the Age of 106.

WHEELING, May 13.—Mrs. Conrad, who lives on Cedar Creek, in Gilmer County, was baptized yesterday and joined the Southern Methodist Church. She has lived 106 years in this world without awakening to the necessity of "leing born offect especially, is to raise the melting point of the butter, a very desirable consideration in warm countries.

Pennsylvania will vote on prohibition June 18. The proposed amend-

Dropped Her Baby Through a Bridgs, CHARLESTON, W. VA. May 13 .- A sad the railroad bridgs crosing Pocariver. Mrs. Wm. Blankenship was walking across the bridge, carrying her little child, eight months old, and by accident little one fall. It pa s d through between the ties, a distance of some thirty feet, to the ground. It lived but a short

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., May 13.-O. T. Davis, a farmer of Lost Cree'r, Harrison County, has a fine-blooded mare which had her first colt a day or two ago. The colt was p rfect in form and dove opment, with the exception that it had no eyes. The head was perfectly smooth, with no indication or sign of an eye. The colt was

WHEELING, W. VA., May 13 —An employe of the Eectric Street Car Line named Raust, caught hold of the wire last evening and was at on e knocked sense ess and apparently dead, but accidentally receiving a second shock was at once re vived and went on with his work as if

nothing had happened. Strange Accident to a Horse.

VINCENNES, IND., May 13.-One of P. R. McCarthy's finest horses attempted to leap the iron fence on Eighth street, out of the court house yard, last night between 11 and 12 o'c ock, and falling on the iron prongs, was disemboweled. It had to be shot before it could be taken off the fence

Thirty-Foot Drop Into a Craek.

Care, W. Va., May 13.—A truck on Wilson's Tram road jumped the track yesterday and Ebert Wolf, his wife and two c illdren were thrown from the trestle in o the creek, a distance of thirty feet. Mrs. Wolf will die and her husband was badly injured.

HOUSTON, TEX., May 13.-Frof. St. Clair, the aeronaut, in attempting to give his leap from the clouds" at the Fair Ground Park this evening, lost his grip on the parachute and fell three hundred feet to the earth. Nearly every bone in his body

Howard Spencer Acquitted.

SALT LAKE CITY, U. T., May 13.—Howard Spencer, who was recently arrested in this city for murdering one Sergeant P.ke, over thirty years ago, has been acquitted, owing to lack of evidence.

SMART SAYINGS.

ATHLETIC young women are not at all shy about exhibiting themselves.

MANY a nurse's ideal of a hero is the gray-coated policeman in the park.

MUCH that is veneered and superficial newadays passes for "cleverness."

Prople who have low bank accounts try to make "Dutch treats" fashionable.

They who would be young when they are ld must be old when they are young. MEN who bet on horse-races are not the cest for positions where money is handled.
TROUBLE itself is sometimes troubled; the soup has been known to be in a great stew.
THE families whose descent is the best never utilize it for any personal notoriety.

BALD-KNOBBERS HANGED. John Matthews and Dave and William

Walker Suffer Death for the Eden ing-Horribly Mismanaged Affair. OZARK, Mo. May 11.—The three con-demned Bald-knobbers were executed yesterday morning. The arrangements were very bungling, and the ropes broke, making a sickening scene. The jury and reporters were admitted to the inside of the jail at 9:20 o'clock. Just before leav-ing his cell John Matthawa proclaimed his ing his cell John Matthews proclaimed his innocence in a loud voice. The sheriff helped Matthews up the steps. Young Walker followed with a firm step, his father following close behind as firm as

ever. At the trap a short prayer was de-livered by Rev. T. B. Horn, after which all joined in singing. The noose was adjusted at 9:40. John Matthews said he had nothing to add; he was there, but took no part in the crime. Matthews called on all who were willing to help his little ones to hold up their hands. Every little ones to hold up their hands. Every one in his sight held up their hands. The black caps were adjusted at 9:51. At 9:53 the drop fell. John Matthews fell praying. The stretch of the rope let all fall to the ground. The rope broke, and Wm. Walker fell loose, and lay there struggling and groaning. He talked for three minutes, when he was taken up on the scaffold by the sheriff and deputies. Dave Walker was drawn up, and died in about fifteen minutes, and died with his feet on the ground. The scene was horrible in the ground. The scene was horrible in the extreme. Matthews and Dave Walker were cut down at 10:10. The trap was again adjusted and William Walker lifted he pless and groaning and gurgling, and almost insensible, and the rope again adjusted and the trap sprung. This time the descent came to a sudden stop with his feet fully thirty inches from the ground, and he died without a strug-gie. The scenes on the gallows were revolting in the extreme. Less than a min-ute after the three men were dangling in mid-air the rope around Wm. Walker's neck broke off short, and he fell heavily to the ground, struggling and gurgling ter-ribly. The feet of Matthews and Dave Walker touched the ground, and the noose almost slipped over Dave Walker's chin. His body was raised up and the rope realigused, but he died by strangulation, writhing violently. While waiting for Dave Walker and John Matthews to die, Bill Walker sat on the gallows cought. ing and spitting bloody mucus on his black cap and coat front. It was a ghastly spec-tacle as young Walker sat there until the trap could be raised for his second terrible drop. He groaned: "Oh, I hope no other man will ever have to suffer what I have in dying." When carried back on the scaffold young Wa ker was laid on his side, still breathing heavily, lacking and muttering. While moaning, "Oh, Lord! Oh, Lord!" the noose was a second time tightened around his neck, and at 1:13 his body again dropped heavily through the trap, and after fifteen minutes he was pronounced dead. He died by strangula-

RAIN-STORM AT PITTSBURGH, Recalling the Great Cloud-Burst of 1874-

PITTSBURGH, May 10.—The heaviest rain were flooled in all parts of the city, and Fifth avenue cable cars were stopped by the water getting to the Washington stree Power-house. Land slides are reported or nearly all the railroads leading into been no fatalities. The lowlands along the Onio river were badly flooded, and numer-The storm was accompanied by a remark were struck by lightning on Mt. Washing and a stable in which there were six eccess and two horses were destroyed. The storm lastel about three hours, and the rainfall was three inches.

BLLOOMINGTON, ILL, May 11 .- In th great Chicago fire the father, mother and sister of Miss Elizabeth Hyde lost their

lives. From that time until Wednesday Miss Hyde, who has been a resident of Bloomington for years, had not seen her only living sister. Wednesday her sister came to see her, and she was so affected

Glanders in Illinois.

DANVILLE, ILL., May 11.—Farmers in the eastern part of this county are afraid of a general spread of glanders, from the fact that Wm. McClellan, of Newport, Ind., drove an infected horse through to this city, when it was traded off and afterards ordered killed. Yesterday State Veterinary Surgeon Casswell, of Chicago, had a horse at Humerick killed, and twen ty others, belonging to A. D. Cook, quar-

CHICAGO, May 11 .- The origin of the fire at Moreland, by which seventy cottages were destroyed, has been discovered, and it is a peculiar one. Some children were playing with a burning-glass and set fire paying and a bulling glass and set fire to some paper. This in turn set fire to some dry grass, and then the Presbyte-rian Church took fire and the cottages fol-

To Die for Highway Robbery. BIRMINGHAM, ALA., May 11. - In the

criminal court to-day Algy Moses, a col-ored woman, was convicted of highway robbery and her punishment fixed at death. Last fall Algy Moses robbed an old Egyptian woman, who was peddling jewelry and trinkets about the city, and cut her in a dozen places with a razor.

BUFFALO, May 11.—The first man to be executed by electricity in New York State will be William Kemmler, who was yesterday convicted of murder in the first terday convicted of murder in the first degree. Kemmler's crime was one of unusual atrocity. He eloyed from Philadelphia with Mrs. Tillie Z egler, sister of his brother's wife, and on March 29 through jealousy, he killed her. Kemmler used an axe, with which he chopped her head and breast into almost unrecognizable shape. On Tuesday Judge Childs will name the week in which Kemmler shall die. The execution will be in Auburn prison, where the condemned man will be taken in two

REACHING BOTTOM.

Wholesale Arrests for Stealing the Plummerville, Ark., Ballot-Box.

ed All Prominent Young Men-One Weakens and Gives Up to the Grand Jury.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., May 10.-The Federal authorities think now that the theft of the Plummerville (Conway County) ballot-box, on the night of November 6, is at last cleared up. It will be remembered that while the judges were counting the vote that night five masked men entered the room, and, presenting their pistols, demanded the box and ballots. Of course they got them, but for months it was impossible to get a clew as to the perpetrators of the outrage. Two weeks ago last Sunday a young man named Warren Taylor was arrested on a charge of interfering with election officers at Plummerville. He got scared and went before the grand jury and there gave evidence which has led to clearing up the mystery. He testified that he was in the crowd of young men who went from Morrillton, the county-seat, to Plummerville that night, as they under-stood it, to preserve peace, as trouble was expected. When the crowd arrived at Plummerville they were halted on the outskirts and five meh rode into the town. Presently they returned and reported "every thing all right," and the crowd proceeded. On the way to Morrillton the five men gave out that the Plummerville ballot-box was in the crowd. The box was taken into Wells' store, at Morrillton,

Hugh Carlin, Patrick McDonald, George Benndel, John Pottovisch, Frank Stratko-Kurtz and Stephen Matson. "sump," a hole at the bottom of the shaft. mulates, and the mangled bodies were not recovered for some time. The mine is op-erated by the Alliance Coal Company. It is an old working, and the shaft is five

hundred feet deep Moonshiners Raided.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., May 10 .- The Eureka detectives, acting principally un-der directions of the Norfolk and Westby the meeting that she lost her mind and became a raving maniac. She was adjunction with the U. S. Revenue authori-judged insane, and is now on her way to ties, have just completed another raid upon the moonshiners of the extreme southern counties of McDowell and Wyming, and have brought in fifteen additional prisoners as a result, raising the to-tal number arrested on this charge to date to eighty-one. Among those lodged in are a miserable looking set of wretches, although it is known that they have been openly violating the law for years.

Unique Confirmation Class.

BALTIMORE, May 10.—Bishop Paret, of this city, confirmed a class which was unique, at St. John's Episcopal Chapel, Washington. It consisted of nine colored candidates, and the sister-in-law of Postmaster-General Wanamaker, the daughter of the late Justice Matthews, of the Supreme Court, the daughter of Secre-tary of State James G. Biaine, and Justice Gray, of the United States Supreme

NEW BREMEN, O., May 10 .- At New cow to pasture with a rope, which she playfully tied around horwaist. The ani-mal became frightened and ran away, dragging the unfortunate girl along for a

quarter of a mile, death resulting almost

NEW HAVEN, Ct., May 10.—The rumor which has been circulating for the past six months to the effect that Ex-Ministe Phelps would resume his duties as Professor in the Yale Law School, was verified by the issuance of a prospectus of the elective studies, with a course in law by

nstantaneously.

Whisky Scized.

Washington, May 10.—Attorney General Miller received a telegram from Marshal Needles, of Oklahoma, saying that he had seized a lot of whisky which had been

THE BIG SHOW BEGINS.

sident Carnot Touches an Electric But chinery of the Paris Exposition—Son of the Wonders of the Great Exhibit. of the Wonders of the Great Exhibit.

Paris, May 7.—At 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, surrounded by his Ministers and many distinguished guests, President Carnot stood under the great dome of the Exposition building formally to declare it open. The speeches by the President and others were characterized alike by tact and taste, and the solitary marring incident, the blank cartridge discharged by a mandlin sensationalist, who was ascertained to be a harmless imbecile, deserving only pity, has already been forgotten. With the President were Premier Tirard. Yoes Guyot. already been forgotten. With the President were Premier Tirard, Yoes Guyot



er of Public Works, and MM. Lock

undauntable energy of France, which has arisen from the most severe trials to fresh

The musical programme was then at once proceeded with. President Carnot descended from the dais and walked down the main aisle of the gallery of fine arts toward the center, where he touched several electric buttons. In a moment the fountains of the exposition were all pouring forth their streams to the universal sunshine and the great engine of the machinery palace was in motion. The 300,000 or 400,000 people outside and inside cheer, and every portion of the grounds of

the universal exposition of 1889 is open.
The exhibitors number 30,000.
After the exhibition was opened the President and his party inspected the various

departments.
Paris, May 7.—The fetes in celebration the opening of the exposition were carried out according to programme Monday night. The Eiffel tower, the central dome of the exhibition building and the gardens sur-rounding the buildings were splendidly il-luminated, and in all parts of the city were to be seen evidences of the en-thusiasm with which the people re-gard the great fair and their sympathy with the institutions whose application to the Government of France the exposito the Government of France the exposi-tion commemorates. On the Seine a mag-nificent marine display was given, embrac-ing every conceivable kind of craft which the depth of the water would permit to float. This display extended from Saint Louis island to Grenelle. Each vessel car-ried lights of various colors and the ried lights of various colors and the bridge and the entire stretch of lock front were ablaze with lights, colored fixes, etc. The display of fire-works which took place at three different points at the Point Neuf at Grenelle and in the garden of the Tuilleries was fully equal to any thing of the kind ever seen in Paris. One of the places represented the design of a monument in commemoration of the revolution of 1789. While the Venetian fete was in progress on the Seine thousands of variegated bengal lights were sent off from different parts of the Eiffel tower, disclosing that structure to the view of the whole city and its environs. The cascade of the Trocadero and all the fountains on the exhibition grounds were also illuminated.

Shortly after nightfall a monster torch-

Shortly after nightfall a monster torch-Shortly after nightfall a monster torchlight procession embracing 15,000 mounted cuirassiers and infantry on foot, most of the musical societies of Paris, both vocal and instrumental, with numerous brass bands, drum corps, etc., started from the Trocadero palace, crossed the Jena bridge and marched mto the central garden of the Exposition grounds amid most enthusiastic cheering. The number of gas jets blaxing in the grounds was upward of 100, 000.

The Exposition of 1889 is unlike all its

Greece, Roumania, Servia, Egypt, Persia, Mexico, Brazil, the Argentine Republic, Bolivia, Chili, Nicaraugua, Venezula, Guatamala, Uruguay, Paraguay, San Domingo, Salvador, Hayti, China, Japan, East India, Slam, Morocco and Australasia. The unrepresented countries are Germany—an absence as inevitable as it is deplorable and conspicuous—Turkey and Montenegro.

So far as the present indications go the American exhibit on the industrial side will be most impressive in gold and silver

American exhibit on the industrial side will be most impressive in gold and sliver smithing, in glassware, which has made a marked sensation among the French and Austrian glass-makers, and in machinery. The American corn palace, where the uses of this article of food are to be picturesquely introduced to Europeans, is located near the Trocadero. Its success is uncertain. The palace, rightly so named, devoted to machinery, is a magnificent edifice in which a world's congress might sit. Its architectural beauty and the splendor of its decorations also render it one of the great centers of interest. The chief attraction in

a world's congress might sit. Its architectural beauty and the splendor of its decorations also render it one of the great centers of interest. The chief attraction in it is the Edison display of motors, machines and apparatus. An idea of the vastness of the Exposition may be gained from the area it covers. Although the exhibition buildings are closely grouped, the total ground surface exceeds 3,000,000 square feet. The Champs de Mars alone covers 103 acres. The exhibition structures take in the Champs de Mars, the Trocadero palace gardens, the esplande of the Invalides, and the quays of the Seine extending between the Champs de Mars and the Invalides. The buildings blend strength, suitability, lightness and grace in their composition. The interior architectural lines are notably free and symmetrical, while their decorations surpass in elegance of design and richness of tones those of any structure ever put up for a similar use. The most accomplished artists have been employed upon every part of the work and the color schemes, while high in key, are rich and effective without being glaring.

The Effiel tower has been smiled at as the great folly of the Exposition, but the giant manikin of iron threads possesses a value apart from its ostentatiousness. It is a daring monumental achievement. From its highest balcony there is visible a beautiful panorama of seventy miles of hills, rivers, lakes, towns and hamlets, which no painter can place on canvas, no poet transcribe in verse. The summit, at a total height of nearly 1,000 feet, or nearly double that of the Washington monument and nearly 600 feet higher than St. Peter's in Rome, will be utilized for scientific purposes, the public being permitted to ascend only about two-thirds.



sons daily. There are stairways for those who prefer the older mode of ascension, and restaurants and saloons will enable pleasure parties to spend days in the air. The observatory will be employed for the experiments touching spectroscopic and telluric rays for vegetable chemistry, meteorology, atmospheric electricity and optical telegraphy. It is hoped that the lights of the sun and stars can be analyzed and that a solar and lunar photographing apparatus solar and lunar photographing apparatus can also be used with novelty and advant-

can also be used with novelty and advantage, especially when eclipses take place near the horizon. The total weight of the tower is 6,500 tons, and its cost \$1,000,000.

The registered population of 2,250,000 is already augmented by large contingents from the various departments of France and from all quarters of Europe and the continents of America and Australia. The accommodations for strangers are ample, but, as happens in every other city under corresponding circumstances, the prices of necessaries and indulgences have risen. The arrangements for the policing of the the Exposition buildings and the city are complete, and, as is generally true of Paris, are admirable. The admission to the Exposition grounds is only twenty cents for all the departments, and once in it is unnecessary to leave them until the hour for closing at night. There are ample resources for feeding the There are ample resources for feeding the multitudes within the grounds at moderate prices, the restaurants being under official control. Most of the railroads give excur-

In spite of the extraordinary increase in population, Paris does not present the aspect of being crowded, and despite the inevitable annoyances inseparable from the period it is certain that the visitors who regard the rights and sensibilities of others will gently find their own rights and sensi-bilities respected.

THE LATE FROST'S WORK.

Question as to What Extent the Fruit Trees Have Been Injured.

Bloomington, Ill., May 7.—There is a great difference of o inion among hortleulturists, gardeners and farmers as to the outcome of the recent series of frosts. Many contend that the fruit bloom was almost entirely ruined, while others assert that the damage is trifling. The apple, pear, cherry, quince and peach trees were loaded almost to breaking with blossoms, and the prospect of an immense cropwas flattering. That the frost killed some of the germs there is no doubt, but it is probable that there is an abundance of them unalpured to load the trees with fruit. Much harm was done to asparagus, tomatoes, beans and other tender lants, and the market gardeners have lost

OKLAHOMA'S RIVAL.

rs Preparing for a Rush to Secure in Dakota, Which the Government Is Endeavoring to Secure for the Settlers. Endeavoring to Secure for the Settlers-Washington, May 10.—The instructions for the Sioux Commission, which have been under preparation for some weeks by the Indian Department, have been given to the three Commissioners at the Interior Department. It will now be strange if the stream of emigration started in the direction of Oklahoma, only to be checked and thrown backwards at the discovery of the limited quantity of the land available there, is not directed to the Northwest by the opening of the great Sloux reservaable there, is not directed to the Northwest by the opening of the great Sloux reserva-tion in Dakota. This reservation, which is expected to be opened in the course of a month or two, comprises 9,300,000 acres of land. It is owned by the Sloux tribe. The land to be purchased lies in the southern portion of Dakota and on the northern boundary line of Nobraska. Several ineffectual attempts have been made in years gone by to negotiate with the Indians for this land. Last year a com-



mission was appointed to purchase the lands, but the Sioux chiefs refused to accept the offer—fifty cents per acre. Later in the season the heads of several of the Sioux tribes were called to Washington to appear before the Secretary of the Interior and state to him on just what grounds they would be willing to dispense with that part of their lands which is unused by them. The chiefs demanded \$1.25 per acre and the immediate payment of the whole sum. They were assured by Secretary Vilas that they would be given proper consideration by the department and legislation recommended which would be so conditioned as to prohibit the taking of any of their lands without their consent. MAP OF THE SIOUX RESERVATION.

out their consent.

The law by which the consent of the Indians is to be obtained is almost exactly like that of last year, except in these three par-

that or last year, except it coulars.

First, in distributing cattle, farming implements and money to Indians who wish allotments the cash payment is increased from \$20 to \$50 each. Second, the price paid for land settled in the old bill was fifty cents per acre; in this it is one dollar for that taken the first three years, seventy-five cents for that taken the next three years, and fifty cents for all that taken thereafter, with the provise that the Government shall buy all that remains after ten years. Third, the immediate appropriation to create a fund for the benefit of Indians to be repaid out of proceeds of sales of land is increased from \$1,00,000\$ to \$3,000.00\$. The sections numbered a xteen and thirty-s x of each township of the lands open to settlement, whether surveyed or unsurveyed, are to be reserved for the use and benefit of the public schools, as provided by the act organizing the Territory of Dakota.

The taw provided an appropriation of \$25,000, which sum shall be expended under the direc-

little capital it offers the most promising locs tion now open at Government price in the whole public domain.

PIERRE, D. T., May 10.—The commander as Fort Bennett has received orders from army headquarters to move the troops and vacate the post at a moment's notice. No reason can be assigned for the order unless the Sioux reservation is to be opened used of sixty days.

ILLINOIS GETS ANOTHER PLUM.

Speaker Matthews, of the House of Representatives, Made First Comptroller of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The President has appointed Asa Matthews, of Illinois, to be First Comptreller of the Treasury, vice M. J. Durham, resigned. Mr. Matthews is the present Speaker of the Illinois House of Representatives. He was Colonel of an Illinois regiment during the war and subsequently held the office of collector of internal revenue for the Peoria district. He lives at Pittsfield, Ill.

Springered, Ill. May 10.—The House

ternal revenue for the Peoria district. He lives at Pittsfield, Ill.

Springfield, Ill., May 10.—The House had a genuine jubilee Thursday afternoon when the clerk read a dispatch from Secretary Windom announcing that the President had appointed Speaker Matthews First Comptroller of the Treasury. The members broke out into cheers and applause and made a rush for the Speaker's desk to congratulate him. Speaker Matthews briefly addressed the House, saying that it was imperative that he should leave almost immediately for Washington, and therefore tendering his resignation. All thoughts of business were abandoned. A large crayon portrait of Colonel Matthews, in a gift frame, was brought in, and Mr. Doolittle presented it in a brief speech on behalf of the members, who congratulated the recipient while regretting his departure. Mr. Lester, at the request of the pages, also presented the Speaker with a gold-headed cane, after which speeches were made by a number of members.

Some Consular Probabilities

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Decoration Day, May 30, will be the next legal holiday.

to Texas to look after some private land interests.

Ex-Attorney General Garland has his home in the future.

The State Teacher's Association will meet at Winchester June 26th, and continue in session three days

preme Court of that State in June. An eighteen-year-old boy of May-

Ion last Ociober. Mulenburg county has a railroad bebt of nearly a million dollars, while the county is not a wealthy

one by any means. The stables of Capt. Moore, near Shawhan, Ky., were burned last week and thirteen fine trotters were

Asa Matthews and F. W. Palmer, of Illinois, have been appointed First Controller of the Treasury and Public Printer, respectively.

destroyed. Loss, \$51,500.

The prices of sugar and coffee are almost out of reach, and prices of cattle and labor are at "rock botom"; and the Democratic party is ot responsible for it either.

Miss Kate Drexel, second daughach of his three children, has renounced the world, and entered a onvent at Pittsburgh.

A meeting of the National Demperatic Committee has been called tor June 12, at New York, for the burpose of selecting a Chairman. and also to take appropriate action on the death of the late W, H. Bar-

The people in the vicinity of where the train carrying Libby prison was wrecked have supplied themselves with some of the bricks as relics. The bricks are rather oddlooking, being twelve inches long, four inches wide and two inches

The Republicans will probably succeed in swelling their majority of danger for the United States than

ing favorable reports from the clubs couragement of immigration of any onvention of the organizations to less mobs of large cities. e held this summer.

ley's throat. The wounded man sick headache, they naver fail, and other officers fired upon and instantly killed Smith, as he at- an article headed, "Farmers, think."

The Kentucky Derby race at Lousville last week was one of the greatest horse races ever run. It was between three-year-olds, and the run was a mile and a half. Proctor Knott was the favorite, but was beaten by Spokane by a scant head. Both the colts broke the record, considering the tracks, the weights carried, &c.

Horrible.

The Governorship contest in West order. Ex-Gov. McCreary was chostory order. Ex-Gov. W. J. Stone, Permanent Chirman. rates, equal to the high-priced holish was hominated for tale." Judge Sharp was hominated for tels." State Treasurer without opposition, field, Ky., has been sentenced to and a concise and clear enunciation death for the murder of a compan- of principles was made, the most form, and calling for a thorough party organization all along the line, in Legislative and Municipal, as well as Congressional elections. -Courier-Journal.

Kelltucky Again.

Hon, Witliam C. P. Breckinridge has accepted an invitation to deliv-

Not So in Kentucky. [Courler-Journal.]

and dangerous region?

The World Has Lost a Man.

[Lexington Transcript.] It was a plucky small boy of Louisville who died from an injury re-The Scotch-Irish Congress con- were playing baseball, and by some dies the world has lost a man.

Take it this month. Six bottles, \$5. whose waters will irrigate the soil

The Nation's Next Century. [Washington Critic.]

The 100 years to come are fuller in the House of the Fifty-first Con- the century just ended. The centhe century just ended. The century just ended in the clust of the future."

Shelf It is the future."

Shelf It is used. The future. The probably no one thing has caused such agent a live yield at W. T. Evan's Drug of Dr. Kings of Sox many free teial bottles of Dr. Kings of Sox many free teial bottles of Dr. Kings of Sox many free teial bot week, discussing routine work, hear- tion, the result of a senseless enbroughout the State, and consider-sort, and now comes the problem of ing the advisability of a general dealing with the restless and reck-

Whether on land or at sea, on the During the trial of James Smith, prairie or in the crowded city, Ayfor burglary, at Kansas City, Satur- er's Pills are the best cathartic, beday, the accused suddenly drew a ing convenient, efficacious and safe. knife and cut Detective J. W. Gil- For torpid liver, indigestion and

A Republican exchange contains

What's the Matter with Louisa as an "all-the-year-round."

Baltimore San: "Interesting figures.-The beneficial effects of good hotels on cities and towns is illustrated in the case of Asheville, N. C., which now has a population of 8,000 people and is rapidly growing. Until a few years ago it was a quiet for healthfulness of location. An enterprising capitalist built a splen-Ozark Saturday. The execution mirably, and other fine hotels were Court they were arrested for petty Congressman Paynter is on a trip the trap fell, and he dropped to the five weeks. Of these 26,155 stopped a paper and refuse to pay for it. ground struggling and bleeding. at the four leading hotels, where the He was picked up and seated on the charge is from \$3.50 to \$5 per day. scaffold, where he watched the Of the remainder 15,870 stopped at determined to make Washington death agonies of his father and John hotels and boarding-houses where Matthews, who slowly strangled to the charge is from \$2.50 to \$3 per

Brooklyn Eagle: "The three days of Centennial festivities are over, the diseased portion of the ear. There is significant of the resolutions being those declaring that the Democracy of Kentucky takes no backward step on the great question of Tariff Reform, and calling for a thorough fluence of free institution in moulding and tempering the character of any case of Deafness, (caused by Catarrh) the beenle. Individual self-government is the natural corollary of political self-government. It costs er the address at the dedication of us less to bottle up our enthusiasm, the National Forefather's monu- when the signal is given to go back ment at Plymouth, Mass., August to work, than it does any other race or community. We feel that we are masters of our own destinies, that we can appoint our entrances The Northwestern citizen of the and our exits to suit ourselves, and United States leads a precarious in that sense of freedom to do as we life. In the winter his ears and please there is to be found the seer of the late Francis A. Drexel, of nose are frozen, and when the warm- cret of our self-command and mod-Philadelphia, who left \$6,000,000 to er season comes he has his breeches eration. It has been to us all not burnt off by forest or prairie fires. only a season of enjoyment, of pa-With the great and growing South, triotic exhiliration, but a season of open to every good man, why should instructive thought and reflection. any one remain in an inhospitable Who can doubt that the feelings which the occasion have aroused have success overtake me and stay have left a permanent impression? by me, These momentary meetings Who is there among us who does not feel that he is a better American today than he was before? Who is ceived from a playmate, without revealing his name. The children the form of government which, afand many preminent people were in attendance. Ex-Gov. Knott was the orator of the day, and, of course, acquitted himself admirably, as do all prominent Kentuckians on such pecasions.

Accident this nine-year-old was cissitude, finds respect for it so indelibly imprinted on the popular heart? It is impossible for men to feel deeply without learning some lesson from their emotions. The mind most easily receives and longter a hundred years of trial and viest retains the instruction of great There is no danger to human life, sorrows or great joys. Can there be more to be dreaded than that which any question that the teaching of arises from vitiated blocd. Dys- our centennial ubilee will bear fruit pepsia, rheumatism, headache, and in the coming generations? Surely general debility, all result from it not. On the day which witnessed! and are cured by Ayers Sarsaparilla. its close a fountain was unsealed,

of the future."

of patriotism in the centuries that

are to be, and refresh the souls of

freemen who gather around the na-

tional altar at all the centennials



R. T. BURNS.

Attorney at Law. KENTUCKY.

Tis Dangerous Not to Pay.

A newspaper in Ohio brought suit against forty-three men who would place with little business, but noted not pay their subscription, and obtained judgment in each case for the amount. Of these, twenty-eight Daye Walker, his son William, did hotel at Asheville, and made it made affidavic that they owned no and John Matthews, the Missouri an 'all-the-year-round' resort for "Bald-knobbers," were hanged at visitors. This hotel succeeded adder the decision of the Supreme was a horrible affair, in every par- built. As a consequence Asheville larceny and bound over in the sum ticulat. The noose around William had last year 49,645 visitors, and of \$300 each. All but six gave bond, Walker's neck broke short off when the average stay of each visitor was Walker's neck broke short off when the average stay of each visitor was postal law makes it larceny to take

BROWN'S IRON BITTERS.
s pleasant to take, cures Malaria, Indigesand Billousness. All dealers keep it.

At Earlington, this State, shortly day. The remaining 7,620 stopped after a ball was over, Louis Morton at hotels and boarding houses where shot his girl, Lizzie Hayes, because The Democratic convention met the charge is from \$1 to \$1.50 per she danced with his rival, and then in Louisville May 8, and transacted day. More than half the houses in its business promptly and in good Asheville take from two to five A fellow asked bim what he was

sturdiness which enables us promptive the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucus surfaces.

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[Nebraska State Journal.] Jones -- So you have met with suc-

Smith—Yes, several times.

Jones—And I presume you ar well fixed.

Smith—Haven't a cent.
Jones—How's that?
Smith—Well, as a matter of course, when I meet success it is always going in the opposite direc-tion. What I am waiting for is to

Natuville. Tenn. May 2, 1888—I have used Swirt's specific in my family for some time, and believe it to be an excellent remedy for all imputies of the blood. In my own case. I believe that I have we ried off a severe attack of rhematism in the shoulder by a timely resort to this efficient, remedy. In all cases where a permanent price is sought this medicine commends itself for a constitutional treatment that horoughly eradicates the seeds of disease from he system.

REV. W. P. HARRISON.

WACO, TEXAS, May 9, 1888.

Gentlemen: The wife of one of my customers was terribly afflicted with a loathsome skin disease; that covered her whole hody. She was comfined to her bed for several years by this affliction, and could not help herself at all. She could not sleep from a vicent liching and etinging of the skin. The disease huffled the skill of the physicians who treated it. Her husband begar finally giving his wife Swift's Specific, and she townmenced to improve almost immediately, and in a far weeks she was apparently well. She is nows hearty, fine-looking lady, with no trace of the affliction left. Yours very truly,

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Puck: The fidelity of adversity is exemplified by the manner in which poverty sticks to a poet.

13, 1887, and \$20.00 February 13, 1888.) to-wit: A tract of land lying in Lawrence county, Kentucky, containing 152 acres, situated on Laurel creek of Rockcastle, beginning on a popular standing by the Bowen Lick, thence N 62 E, 88 poles to two pines; N 2 E, 132 poles to a pine at the long rock on top of ridge? N 62% E, 48 poles to a double pine: N 43 E, 7 poles to a chestnut oak; S 30 E, 165 poles to a stake, thence, S 65 W, 304 poles to the beginning. Taken as the property of R. F. Vinson, to satisfy execution in favor of C. C. Cecil.

Sale will be made on a credit of three months.

A. L. Shannon, S. L. C.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

A Republican exchange contains an article headed, "Farmers, think."

This is very imprudent advice for a Republican to give. When the farmers of the country begin to think to some purpose the days of the Republican party will be numbered.—C.-J.

Postmaster General Wanamaker says that since his appointment his mind has undergone a change on the subject of letter postage. He He was formerly a strong advocate of penny postage, but now thinks wo cents is cheap enough. There are many towns in this country, he says, that receive mail but once a week, and this not regularly. His idea wow is not to reduce the stage and the reduced of the regularly this idea wow is not to reduce the stage and the reduced of the regularly this idea wow is not to reduce the stage. The stage and \$1 per hottle at the stage.

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For First Place.

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FITS, EPILEPSY OF FALLING SICEWESS

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gie Hatcher's

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to subscribers.

Miss Laura Burgess, of George's creek, is visiting in Louisa.

Miss Lizzie Peck, of Peck's station, has been visiting in Louisa.

xander Lackey are attending the Floyd Court.

Children's day services will be held at the M. E. Church South Lackey are attending the Ratcliffe, centre table; G. R. B. Chapman and wife, bed spread; G. V. Castle and wife, table cloth; Miss Fjorida Eaves, hassock; Mrs. Lackey Strades.

ext Sunday. Wm. Remmele last week receiv-

Wylic Burchett says he has the linest cows in the country. He offers to guarantee that one of them will give ten gallons of milk in a line with the country. The church was heavitable decorated.

Blank books, writing paper, en-relopes, tablets, and all kinds of school books ac., also a variety of lovels at S. & S., post-office build-

wants to turn around he is com- flourish and bringing fine pastures

Wanted.

Marriage license has been issued to the following couples within the last few days: John M. Clayton, age 59, to Virginia Jarrel, age 22; Lazarus Hardwick to Kate York, ages, 20 and 19; Noah Hodge to Nannie Skeens, ages 30 and 19.

Modern prices. Also, Watch, clock, and job-work repairing at reasonable prices. Work guaranteed. P. O. building, Louisa, Ky.

A large crowd from this place and surrounding country went to Ashland Tuesday to see the "great cir-

All persons indebted to J. A. Hughes are hereby notified to come in and settle at once.

There was a wreck on the Chattaroi about eight miles above this place last Friday evening, in which five cars were entirely demolished. The train was passing through a cut, when the engine struck a cow and threw her against the bank; and after the engine and two cars had passed she rolled on the track, derailing the next five cars, and smashing and piling them up to a mashing and piling them up to a considerable height. The track was cleared during the night, and then wait as patiently as possible for a circus to visit Louisa. It will come, sooner or later, as sure as death.

Married, yesterday evening, at the M. E. Church South, Mr. Wm. D. O'Neal and Miss Belle Marcum. Rev. Simpson officiated.

Mr. G. W. Gunnell is in Cincininti.

Cartridges at S. & S., post-office

Cartridges at S. & S., post-office party marched in, a bridesmaid and Mr.J.A. Hughes was down the rivr this week.

For Millinery goods go to Magie Hatcher's.

Farty marched in, a bridesmaid and a groomsman going up each aisle; then came the bride and groom; and when directly under the beautiful wedding bell they faced the nounced them man and wife. The J. W. M. Stewart was in Cincinintilast week.

party then went directly to the residence of the bride's parents, where a number of friends gathered and spent an hour very pleasantly.

Mr. S. S. Vinson, of Ceredo, was of County Attorney W.W. Marcum, of C party then went directly to the res-

Read in another column our offer subscribers.

The groom is a worthy young man of our county. Both are so well and favorably known that it is unnecessary to speak of them personally. We extend congratulations. Following is a partial list of the

Miss Manda Yates, hat; J. M. Hammond, towels; W. H. Billups and wife, napkins; Georgia Johnson, evening dress; Mrs. Mattle Don't fail to see Dr. Evans, the accessful Eye and Ear Specialist, lamp; Mr. and Mrs. Northup, rug; W. A. Holt and wife, napkins; Mr. and Mrs. Northup, rug; W. A. Holt and wife, napkins; Mrs. Belle Hughes, Ed. Hughes and J.F. Bateliffe, centre table; G. R. B.

Vickie Burgess, pair of towels; Mrs. Stewart and family, napkins; Grace and Edith Marcum, water set; Miss Win. Remande hat werk receive at any and of lake to do flate to for retail rule to look and the control of the ed a car load of lake ice for retail Maggie Hatcher, beautiful present;

The church was beautifully decorated.

Dr. Cease is in town.

"Big Sandy vs. the World."

While other parts of the country suffered from the first of March un-Born, to the wife of Dan Blanken-til a few days ago, the Big Sandy ship, a boy. Dan claims that he is proud of his boy that when he ance of rain, causing the crops to pelled to go out and use the rail- twice were the creeks and rivers raised to the best timbering stages of the season, large amounts of timber coming in Blaine creek Tuesday. They fell in a stave drift and rescued themselves only with the greatest efforts.

Dr. Evans, the successful Eye and Ear Surgeon, of Columbus, O., will be at Louisa, May 28, at Chattaroi Hotel. Do not fail to see him. He cures all his cases. Cancer is cured without pain.

of the season, large amounts of timber coming out, and causing a rush of business; steamboats enlivened the upper part of the valley by their frequent visits, and everybody has been healthy, prosperous and happy during a season which to other sections has been one of adversity. Again the patriotic and enthusiastic Big Sandian has good and sufficient reasons for reiterating his oft-repeated banter: "Big Sandy against the world."

New Firm. of the season, large amounts of tim-

New Firm.

A large amount of HICKORY Books, Stationery, Cartridges, &c. for axe handles. For quality and They also keep a nice line of Jewelprices apply to ry, Watches, Clocks and Spectacles, which they can supply to you at modern prices. Also, Watch, clock, modern prices.

land Tuesday to see the "great cir-cus which was advertised to appear The Louisa Board of Education has done his work exceedingly well, and yet has one very important duty to perform. That is the securing of a principal for the schools. The constituents are expressing the hope that, now that we have a model building, earnest efforts will be made to secure for Principal the most competent man available.

cus which was advertised to appear there on that day. Owing to the circus trains being delayed, and the heavy fall of rain, no show was given, and the disappointed crowd—a good portion at least—went and got drunk. It was a big day for Ashland, just the same. After three unsuccessful attempts to see circuses at Ashland it looks as though our people would give it up, stay at All persons indebted to J. A. Hughes are hereby notified to come in and settle at once.

Mrs. Benjamin Vanhoose, of Cat's
Fork, a well respected and Christian lady, departed this life on the
3d inst., and was buried on the 5th.
She leaves a husband and three
children to mourn their loss, which beyond doubt is her eternal gain.

The funeral services were conductof Good Templars, held at Germantown ed by the Rev. Wm. A. Christian, of on May 7th and 8th. the M E. Church, in a very able thome on Monday morning, the manner.

Mrs. Nancy Cooksey, of the same neighborhood, widow of John Cooksey, also departed this life on the sey, also departed this life on the straight inst. She died in the full triumphs of a living faith, leaving many relatives and friends, all of whom have the deepest sympathies of the community.

please write to the NEWS? would like to hear from Deep Hole
Branch and all of the different
Attorney of Mason county. I found Mr.

COUNTRY GREENHORN. FRAD, KY.

Mr. Jack Wilson was here collecting taxes recently. Mr. Levi Atkins, of your place,

passed through our village last

iting home folks recently.

Mr. Richard Carter is our most successful hunter. Mrs. Joh., H. Moore is on the

sick list.
Mr. William Carter was visiting

Advice to Mothers.

Mrs. Wieslow's Scothing Syaur should always be used when children are cutting tech. It relieves the little sufferent once; it produces natural, quiet sleep, and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, regulates the bowles, and is the best known remedy for diarrhose, whether arising from techning or

HICKORY GAP. Died, Mrs. Ben Vanhorn, Mrs. Nancy Cooksey, and a little child of Julia Prince.

Large attendance at the exhibibition Suncay school at two o'clock. Alice Marcum is visiting in West

J. C. Marcum preached here Sat-

urday and Sunday. OLD PHIL CAUTION TO MOTHERS. Every mother is cautioned against giving ho child laudanum or paregorie; is creates an un natural craving stimulants which kills the mind or the child. Acker's Baby Soother is specially prepared to benefit children and cure their pains. It is harmless and contains no Opium or Mor-

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Newell to be an intelligent, and as learned from some of the good people of Mason, an efficient public servant.

On arriving in Germantown, which is one of the oldest towns in the State, and one of the oldest towns in the State, and takes its name from an eld German who settled there in an early day, I found in walting a committee on reception to re-ceive me as well as other members of our

pike to Germantown, a distance of 13

Attorney of Mason county. I found Mr.

EDITOR BIG SANDY NEWS:

week.

Mr. Joseph Webb was in our village looking after mineral interests a few days ago.

On last Monday the cry of fire was heard on the farm of J. R. Dean.
With the assistance of neighbors it was soon extinguished.

Miss Effie Dean, who has been attending school at Louisa was visiting home folks recently.

Mr. Joseph Webb was in our villaged or offer, and furnish us homes among the mass well as other members of our beloved order, and furnish us homes among the mast us homes to tour beloved order, and furnish us homes among the mast us homes to tour beloved order, and furnish us homes among the mast us homes as well as other members of our beloved order, and furnish us homes among the mast during the town; and I want to say here before I forget it that Germantown is replete with kind-hearted christian peoile who are in sympathy if not active workers in temperance reform, and I am sorry I can not remember all their names, but prominent among them are Mr. and Mrs. Dug. Rigdon, Mr. and Mrs. Dora and Mr. and Buffington. These I remember because of my association with them at their homes.

homes.

On Tdesday morning our convention was organized, of which organization I will not speak in detail, as its proceedings will be furnished your paper for publication. But I want to say that my heart the street when the same was a second to say that my heart that was the same was a second to say that my heart was the same was a second to say that my heart was the same was a say that my heart was the same was a say that my heart with say many allowed to say that my heart with say many allowed to say that my heart with say many allowed to say that my heart with say many allowed to say that my heart with say many allowed to say that my heart with say many allowed to say that my heart was the say that my heart

Stephen Lansing, of Yonkers, N. Y., says: "Recommended as a cure for relieved me from that trouble and also from Gout. If every victim of this disease would heed only three words of mine, I could banish Gout from the land. These words would be—'Try Ayer's Pills.'"

"By the use of Ayer's Pills alone, I cured myself permanently of rheumatism which had troubled me several months. These Pills are at once harmless and effectual, and, I believe, would prove a specific in all cases of incipient

Rheumatism.

Rheumatism.

No medicine could have served me in hetter stead."—C. C. Rock, Corner, Ayoyelles Parish, La.

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CHAPTER XXVIII .- CONTINUED

"Why do you throw that out?" questioned Miss Joyce, innocently enough.

"It needs replenishing," he answered.
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"I hope you are to remain with us now; Grace missed you so much."

"I shall remain, and will relieve you of all the care of my cous:n," answered Lura. He went out soon after, leaving the young girl in a flutter of intense excitement. She harbored a terrible suspicion that she dare not whisper to the suffering, unsuspecting Grace. She was terribly anxious to consult with grave Dr. Colton, but for the time was incapable of formulating a plan of action, since she dared not leave Grace alone for an hour. She believed that the poor girl an hour. She believed that the poor girl had been systematically poisoned, and that now the villainous Captain would not hesi-

"He must suspect me," she thought, "else he would not have flung away that medicine. He hopes to cover his tracks, but he shall not. I have one of the powders and some one who understands chemistry shall examine it."

examine it."

Of course that some one could be none other than Dr. Colton.

Lura did not leave the room for a moment during the re-mainder of the afternoon, and when at night, after the lamps were lit and black Lucy came in, she drew the colored girl outside and questioned her with regard to Captain Starbright.

"He's done gone to Stonefield, miss."

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"It is well. Now, Lucy, I know you love our young mistress, and that you will do my thing to serve her."

"Deed I does, missus."

"I am aware of that, and I want you to make me a solemn promise not to leave this room, not to permit any one else to enter, antil I return. I am going away and may bright is away you're not likely to be dis-turbed, but even if he should come, do not permit him to enter. Will you do as I wish!"
"Good land, missus, how's I goin' to help it ef de Cap'n comes an' wants to git in!"
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nttered the black maid in a tone evincing her utter helplessness.

"But you must not let him in. Lock the door. I have it. I will lock you in this room and take the key with me. You will agree to that, Lucy!"

"Yes, missus."

"Very good."

Then Miss Joyce went over to the side of Grace and told her that she was going away for a short time, but that she would soon return.

"Is this necessary?" sighed the sick girl.

"Highly necessary," assured Lura. "I Il be gone but a few hours. It is for your sake that I am going. I mean to bring you out of this in short order." "I fear it is too late."

ber Austin Wentword and be brave," said Lura, in a low tone, and then she kissed the pale cheek of her cousin and hastened from the room, locking the door behind her. She was soon in the open air hastening to the stables.

She found Romeo, who whinnied at the approach of his mistress, and hastly fixing the saddle led him forth into the starlit

the saddle led him forth into the stariit night.

Just then she was startled at feeling a hand touch her shoulder.

"Whither now, Miss Joyce?"

It was the voice of Captain Starbright.

Lura faced him boldly, though not without misgivings. She had hoped that he was far away from Lone Hollow at this hour. It was not pleasant to know that her every movement was so closely watched:

"I mean to absent myself for a little time," answered the girl.

"Are you going to Stonefield?"

"Perhaps."

Perhaps."
On what errand?"

"That whelly concerns me," retorted the uring girk turning to reach the saddle. He clutched her arm tightly and held her

"Not yet, Lura Joyee," he grated, hashly. (know you hope to ruin me, but I shall the permit you to do it. You can not go to one field to-night."

"Can net!"
"I have said it."
Even as the defiant words fell from his lips he staggered backward, with a cry of astonishment and pain. The clinched hand of Lura dealt him a sharp blow in the face that caused him to loosen his grip on the

e a flash of electricity Lura bounded a saddie and uttered a sharp word to co, who shotdown into the gloomy holke an arrow. A muttered imprecation low like an arrow. A muttered imprecate fell from the lips of the baffled Captain.

CHAPTER XXIX.

was late in the evening when Dr. Col-repared to close up his office and return boarding-place several blocks distant, in and roar of the busy city had ceased, olemn stillness reigned save for the of the river as it fell in a white sheet the dam at the south end of the town, doctor had just placed his fingers up in off the last gas jet when his car was of with the sharp clatter of horse's coming swiftly down the street. He sed his hand and listened, not deeply ised to note that the sound of speeding cased in front of his office.

"You didn't expect to see me, Arthur?" she cried, quickly. "I am glad I arrived before you left the office, and doubly glad to

fore you left the office, and doubly glad to find you alone."

"What in the name of wonder brings you here at this time of night, Lura? All the way from Lone Hollow, I presume?"

"All the way from Lone Hollow, sir, and on business of the utmost importance. Lock the door and go into the back office so that no one can interrupt us. I've get to get, back to the Hollow on the fly just as soon as I have your opinion."

"You have it now, then," he returned with a good-natured laugh. "I consider you the wildest, maddest girl in ten counties."

"Come."

She drew him quickly into the next room, where he soon had the gas lit, and then she drew forth a small bit of folded paper and laid it in the doctor's hand.

"Tell me what that contains, please."

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"A small white powder," he said, after opening the paper.

"Yes, but what is it?"

"Perhaps I may not be able to tell tonight," he returned, tasting it.

"But you must tell just as soon as you can possibly do so," urged the girl, throwing herself into a chair, and removing her iaunty hat.

jaunty hat.

With a good-humored smile the doctor lit a lamp and retired into a small spartment that he was pleased to term his laboratory. The time passed slowly to Lura after the departure of the doctor. She was consumed with eagerness and impatience and was soon up pacing the floor.

Slowly the minutes waned.

Lura thought of Grace and Lucy, and wondered if Captain Starbright would en-deavor to effect an entrance during her absence. She was in a ferment until Dr.

"Well?" questioned the girl, as she gazed into the grave face of the doctor. He folded the paper and pinched it tightly between his fingers and regarded the girl be-

"Where did you get this, Lura Joyce!"
"At Lone Hollow."

"Do you suspect what it is?"
"Medicine."

"No-poison!"

"I thought so!" exclaimed Lura. Then she stood for some minutes regarding the doctor with clasped hands, paling cheeks and labored breathing.

"Where did you get it!" again d Dr. Colton.

"Arthur, I took that powder from a stand in the room occupied by Grace Penroy at Lone Hollow; it is one of many similar that she has been swallowing during the past three weeks—"

For fully an hour the girl and the docto laked, at the end of which time Miss Joyce left the office, mounted Romeo, who remained waiting patiently for the return of his mistress, and galloped swiftly on her return to Lone Hollow.

The girl had made a horrible discovery, and she realized that it had come none too soon—it might be even now too late to save poor Grace Penroy.

No one was about the premises when Lura Joyce rode into the yard. She hastily dismounted, led Romeo into his stall and then sped to the house.

sped to the house. sake me a solemn promise not to leave this come, not to permit any one else to enter, notil I return. I am going away and may a gone half the night. If Captain Star front door she sped and rang the bell right is away you're not likely to be dis-

opened.
"So you are back again, Miss Joyce!"
It was Captain Starbright. His voice was pleasant enough, however, and he seemed to have been roused from a sound sleep, since he yawned and rubbed his eyes.
"It's a postty note for you to be galloping

"It's a pretty note for you to be galloping over the country at such uncanny hours, Miss Joyce. I think I shall forbid it in the future. Mrs. Penroy has been terribly worried about you." How cool he was after what had happened

"Indeed," retorted Lura. "And you have worried, too, no doubt, betwirt hope and fear. If I'd broken my neck you would be

profoundly happy."
"You continue to think harshly of me, my dear girl."

"You are deserving of it."
"I protest that you wrong me."
"How is Grace!"

"I can not tell you. I haven't been permitted to visit the sick-room. It is contrary to your orders, I am told. How humble we poor male bipeds have to be when there's

we poor male bipeds have to be when there's a woman running affairs."

There was a tinge of sarcasm in his deeply-modulated voice that did not escape the notice of Lura. She realized that the man she had to deal with was not an ordinary one; that he was cunning and slippery as an eel, and to-night she had learned that he was conscienceless.

"I will go up at once?" returned Lura.

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He detained her with a touch.
"Lura, how long is this to continue?"
His question sounded like a demand.
"How long is what to continue?"

"This impudent interference on your part. Certainly you must be aware how distasteful it is to me. I am virtually master here and may not choose to tolerate your insolent interference."

It was dark in the hall and she could not see his face, but she guessed readily the ugly look that rested there. Although his voice did not tremble, she realized that he was terribly angry.

She was angry as well and her face showed it, but the darkness was as kind to

showed it, but the darkness was as kind to her as to him.

"This is my house, sir," she retorted with a'l the calmness she could assume, with the hot blood of indignation beating fiercely against cheek and brow. "Morgan Vanduble invited me here, and until his granddaughter orders me hence, I propose to make it my home. No one has a better right to care for Grace than I, and you will oblige me much by keeping your fingers entirely out of the pie."

She eluded his hand then, and swept up the stairs to the door of the sick-room She quickly fitted the key and unlocked the door. Lucy was snoring in her chair, and Grace, with wide open, restless eyes, lay quietly in

with wide open, restless eyes, lay quietly in her place.

"Oh, Lura, cousin, I am so glad you have come. Somebody has twice tried the door during the night, and—and I haven't been able to sleep. You won't leave me again, dear, will you?"

"No, Gracie. You can count on me from this time on. I went to town to consult a doctor with regard to your case."

"You are very kind, and I am so selfish," murmured the sick girl, and then she began to cry.

"Nonsense, Gracie, I am the one that is selfish," soothed Lura. kissing her cousin tenderly.

And then came a light rap on the door.

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It proved to be Captain Starbright to inquire after the sick girl.

"The miserable hypocrite," thought Lura after he had gone. She remembered the discovery she had made that night, and she could only regard the Captain with feelings of the utmost louthing

weeks, and had promised to come over himself within a short time and personally take charge of the case.

Of course it was impossible for Lura Joyce to be always with her patient, but usually she contrived to leave the black maid in the room when she was absent, if only for a few minutes.

Grace feltalecisically better in twenty-four hours after-beginning the new treatment prescribed by Dr. Colton. Of course Captain Starbright realized that Lura had assumed to doctor Grace, but he did not know of the discoveries she had made. He had become impatient and uneasy, however, and was anxious to have the tragedy come to a speedy termination.

"A drop of Mother Cabera's cough drops will do it. I will risk it, and put this uncertainty at rest forever," reasoned the scheming Captain.

One afternoon, while Lucy sat in the room alone with Grace, Captain Starbright put his head into the room, and said:

"Lucy, your mistress is feeling bad and wants you to come to her at once."

"Missus Lura!"

"Mrs. Penroy."

"Go at once," ordered the Captain, and as the maid stood in deadly terror of him when he was angry, she forgot her promise to Lura Joyce and left the room.

Captain Starbright stood alone.

He hurriedly closed and locked the door, then walked over and glanced at Grace, who, he was glan to note, lay in a semi-unconscious doze.

"At last!" he muttered.

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"At last!" he muttered.

Then he turned hurriedly to the little stand which contained a glass half filled with water and some vials.

He lifted the glass, glanced at it an instant, then drew from his pocket a small glass-stoppered vial and poured a few drops into the glass of water.

"That will do the work at once and leave no trace. I was a fool not to have resorted to the swift method before."

Secreting the vial, he bent over the bed.

"Grace, just a sip of this, please."

With one hand he lifted the girl's head, and passed forward the glass with the other.

"What is it?" questioned the sick girl, wearily, not fully comprehending.
"A little cordial that Lura prepared."
Grace opened her lips to partake.
"Stop, Grace, for your life! There's death in the glass." uttered a voice, husky with intense excitement.

CHAPTER XXX.

Captain Starbright started back with a wild thrill of alarm at his neart. The voice seemed at his very elbow, and in his nervous excitement he dropped the glass to the

three weeks—"

"Good heavens! This can not be true."

"It is true, and Grace still lives, although she has been sinking day by day under this drug that you say is poison."

"But no physician would be guilty of such indiscretion, such criminality," oried the doctor.

"No, perhaps not; but Captain Starbright's hand is in this, and Grace would have been dead in forty-eight hours had I not made this discovery."

Then Lura proceeded to give all the particulars in the case to one who proved to be a most interested listener.

"It is time to check that villain in his caroer of crime," said the doctor, when he had heard and digested the story of Lura Joyce.

No. perhaps not; but Captain Starbrighted as the Captain. Lura had not as yet dared whisper her suspicions to the sick girl, and so the accusing voice frightened Grace almost to fainting.

"What was it!" questioned Grace, after an instant of terror.

Captain Starbright turned swiftly to the door without reply. He realized now that the warning must have been sent through the keyhole. He crossed the carpet, turned the key in the lock and opening the door sprang quickly into the upper hall. Not ten feet distant he saw the form of a man moving swiftly away.

ing swiftly away.

He recognized the intruder as Le

Fingal.

"Halt there, you scoundrel!"

But the young hunter evidently wished to avoid the Captain, and began moving at a swifter gait. Then the Captain started in pursuit, resolved on bringing the fellow to account for his interference.

account for his interference

Down the hall, up a flight of narrow
stairs to the garret the young hunter fled,
and here in the shadows the Captain lost his
enemy. He groped about for fully half an
hour ere he gave up the search.

As he descended the garret stairs he
came full unon Lars Jovee.

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As he descended the garret stairs he came full upon Lura Joyce.

"What in the name of all that is lovely were you doing up yonder, Captain!" the girl demanded, with a piercing look.

"Did you see him."

"See whom!"

"That infernal hunter, Fingal."

"Of course not. The young fellow is a gentleman. What an idea, to think of looking in a garret for a gentleman friend of the family. I believe you are going crazy, Captain Starbright," and Lura at the last indulged in an amused and tantalizing laugh.

laugh.
"I begin to think so myself," he answered, striding fiercely away.
Lura hurried swiftly to the sick chamber. She found Grace alone, the broken tumbler on the carpet. Gathering the ragged fragments the girl placed them on the stand then resumed her seat beside Grace, who seemed deeply excited, as her pale cheeks were flushed, and there was an unusual gitter of the gray eyes.

were flushed, and there was an unusual glitter of the gray eyes.

"Did you hear it! Do you know!" questioned the sick girl in tremulous accents.

"I know all about it. You had a narrow escape, Grace, but don't worry over it now; the danger is past."

"Danger! Was it really true..."

"Danger! Was it really true—"
"Yes, dear. Fingal told me. He is my
friend and yours."
"Fingal! Was it he who spoke of—of the water being poisoned?"
"Yes, dear. He has consented to remain
on the premises for a time. The Captain is
a bad man, but do not worry over that

now."

She sick girl closed her eyes and tried to collect her scattered thoughts. It was a task, however, that she was not likely to

accomplish. When Lucy returned from Mrs. Penroy, who was still too ill to leave her room, Lura reprimanded her for leaving Grace alone. Grace alone.
"But Missus Pen sent for me."

"But Missus Fen sent for me."
"It doesn't matter. I want you to remember and obey me," said Lura Joyce, sharply.
"Deed I will, missus."
"See that you do. When I am absent you must go from this room on no errand whatever. Will you remember?"
"Yee wissus."

whatever. Will you remember?"

"Yes, missus."

Soon after Lura Joyce was pacing the upper hall with nervous steps and a thoughtful expression of countenance.

"Why doesn't Dr. Colton come?" murmured the girl, impatiently. "The time is ripe for the work, and he assured me that he would be here before this. I dare not trust myself away from here now. The Captain is becoming desperate. He hopes to see Graco die, and then Austin Wentword would suffer either imprisonment or death for the crime of murder that I actually believe Starbright himself, or an accomplice, committed."

Uneasy was the heart of Lura.

The day waned and night fell with no doctor.

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In the afternoon Captain Starbright left the vicinity of Lone Hollow on foot. He, too, was gloomy and dissatisfied. The immense fortune lay almost within his grasp, yet not near enough to seize.

"Lura Joyce has thus far proved my evil genius," muttered the Captain. "I would certainly have long since been in undisputed possession of the Vandible fortune but for her. Fool that I was to ever pay court to such a strong-minded woman. She follows me like a cat, watches and suspects something wrong always. I believe she knows that Grace was dying from a subtle poison, and has determined to thwart, perhaps to crush me. But I am too clever to permit a girl to corner me. I will crush her and that young hunter, Fingal. He, too, seems to be in the league against me. Confound Gripes! He ought to have put that will through the court before this."

The Captain followed the path that led to the Cabera cabin. When he reached the place he tried the door. It opened to his touch and he entered. He found the place deserted. The Caberas had gone, he knew that whither, and he hoped that he might not see them again. If one of them lived, however, he knew that he might expect a visit at the end of six months.

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THE COMMONWEALTH.

James Stone the negro jockey, who was convicted in Brooklyn of the murder of Henry Miller, on Cony Island, and who is to be hung the 25th of June, is a Kentucky boy, and was born and raised a slave near Bloomfield, Nelson County.

Twenty-rive mad dogs were killed in Huntertown, near Versailles. David Nash, a prominent farmer has lost several head of fine cattle from hydrophia.

At Versailles an Italian laborer on the Louisville Southern railroad was killed by the explosion of a blast. He had put in a

the explosion of a blast. He had put in a blast and went to his house 150 yards distant, when the blast exploded and a rock descended on the roof of the house, crushing through and striking the man on the head, causing instant death.

The boiler of a saw-mill exploded near Oakten billion comments and in winners.

Oakton, killing one man and injuring sevoral others.

Dr. A. C. Jones, of Carrollton, has been appointed a special agent for the Internal Revenue Bureau.

death near Dixville. Tobacco growers of Caldwell and Lyons

Counties are greatly excited over the wanton destruction of entire beds of Ar a meeting of the Democratic State
Central Committee the other night, W. B.
Haldeman resigned, giving as his reason
his lack of time to devote to the duties of
the place. Mr. Charles P. Weaver was

en to fill the vacancy. A DEMOCRATIC State convention met at Louisville on the 9th. Notable men present were Senator Blackburn. Congressmen McCreary, Stone, Caruth and Montager of the Congressmen McCreary, Stone, Caruth and Montager of the McCreary, Stone, Caruth and McCreary, Stone, Caruth and Montager of the McCreary, Stone, Caruth and McCreary, Stone, Caruth and Montager of the McCreary, Stone, Caruth and McCrea gomery, and Congressman-elect T. H. Paynter. Congressman McCreary was made temporary and Congressman Stone permanent chairman. Without opposition State Treasurer Stephen G. Sharp, who was appointed to succeed the fugitive Tate was reminded.

Tate, was nominated.

Joseph M. Jones has been appointed a guager in the Second District of Kentacky by the Commissioner of Internal

CLIFTON GOFF, who lived near Owens-boro, met a singular death the other night. He was called at a late hour to go to the house of a neighbor, whose daughter was

house of a neighbor, whose daughter was dying. He slept upstairs, and in his hurry he forgot a trap-door which was near the stairway. He fell through the door and was killed by the fall Mane !

PENSIONS for Kentucky: Charles Weiranch, Alfred Warner, Wm. D. Conan, George Baker, Abraham Slaughter (deceased). Elisha Webh, John R. Stephenson, John J. Mills, James Klingiesmith, Robert A. Boyd Wm. P. Krang P. Robert A. Boyd, Wm. R. Kung, Jesse P. Cox, Wm. Jenkins, George W. Gabbard, Jas. M. Miller, Thomas Seymour, Jos. W. Dexter, Wm. C. Young, Thos. J. Engler, Thos. C. Ashinhurst, Wm. C. Whoberg, Thos. F. Allen, Lafayette Lovejoy, Alex. Wilson, John J. Edwards, Francis McElroy, Alex C. Reynolds, Stark Martin, John W. Kelton, Susau, mother of Frank Wilson; Abigail Heemble, for widow of Samuel Given; John C., father of John T. Dial; minors of Jas. K. Harvey.

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The little town of Oakford, eight miles west of Owensboro, was almost totally destroyed by fire the other evening. The fire started in R. M. Hagan's residence, and burned his dwelling and store. Loss \$5,000; Hagan & Stanley's mill, loss \$2,500; Talbo t's blacksmith's shop, loss \$500; Wm. Gordon's residence, loss \$6.00; Mrs. Mary Lancaster's residence, loss \$3,000. And Hagan's store was insured for \$3,000 and Hagan's store was insured for \$2,000, and
Mrs. Lancaster's dwelling for \$1,000. There
was no other insurance.
The following fourth-class postmasters

were appointed for Kentucky a few days ago: U. R. Waller, Benton, Marshall County, vice Mrs. S. A. Johnston, removed; Albert Likens, Carrsville, Living-ingston County, vice Allen Lowery, re-moved; John Cummings, Dunbarton, Da-viess County, vice J. D. Mitchell, resigned; F. L. Cloyes, Farmington, Graves County, vice W. A. Hendley, removed; Thos. M. Gibson, Hindman, Fred Venty, vice. Gibson, Hindman, Knott County, vice P. M. Duke, resigned; J. S. Burnett, Mt. Pisgah, Wayne County, vice Martha Shoe-maker, resigned; R. T. Hubbon, Water Valley, Graves County, v co H. L. Bulnoved; Mrs. Eliza Watson, Watson, Adair County, vice Johnson Wathon,

THE Court of Appeals has decided the clause of the Wallace election law disfranchising illiterates to be inoperative.

A DEAF mute named Kneibert, of Lud-

low, was robbed of forty dollars on a rail-road train. A DISUSED trestle near the Kentucky and Indiana bridge, Louisville, which was being torn down, fell the other afternoon, carrying the workmen with it. One man was killed and several seriously injured. The structure was about thirty feet high and only six men were upon it when the accident occurred. At the first sound of the timbers parting five of the men jumped for their lives. Albert Dutro, the fifth, however, appeared dazed by the danger, and was buried under the frame-work. His head was caught between two bear and crushed perfectly flat, the brains b

ing spattered over the timbers for sever feet around. ESQUIRE W. H. AMBROSE, of near Brook ville, died the other night of paralysis,

DR. J. S. PRICE, of Frankfort died pneumonia early the other morning. I has been one of the most prominent physicians in that city for more than thirty-fit

THE Acting Secretary of the Treasur has appointed the following-named Stor-keepers and Gaugers: Andrew H. Lac-ey, at Paint Lick; Chas. H. Wa'den, Christian County, and Wm. H. Martin,

JOHN HAUGHABOO, aged twenty-for JOHN HAUGHABOO, aged twenty-four fell in Two Lick Creek near Germaniow while in a fit, and was drowned. THE stables of Captain Thos. E. Moore at his stock farm, "The Cedars," new

Shawhan, burned a few nights ago. This teen valuable horses, worth about \$50,00 perished in the flames.

But little rain has fallen in the vicinit of Rinaldo, Lyon County, for two month

of Rinaldo, Lyon County, for two months, and as a consequence farmers are complaining. Oats looks badly. The chinch bug is on corn and wheat, and the dry winds and fleas are destroying tobacco plants. A number of farmers are already planting their ground in corn.

T. B. FLANDERS, of Louisville, a brakeman on the Louisville, St. Louis and Texas railroad, was fatally injured while coupling a car at Owensboro, a few mornings ago. His leg was crushed from his foot to his body. He lived six hours.

The stockholders of the Kentucky Association have decided to issue bonds of \$30,000 to make extensive improvements on the race course at Lexington.

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on the race course at Lexington.

NEAR Mount Sterling, Bert Curtis, a farmer's son, died the other night of hydrophobis. Curtis and a cousin were scuffling recently, when the farm watch dog rushed in and bit both of them. The dog was found to be mad. The two young men had their wounds cauterized, and also applied a madstone. Only one, Bert Curtis, succeeded in getting the stone to act From his wound it draw off considerable greenish fluid. Nevertheless he was taken ill on April 28, and gradually grew worse, till he died in great agony.

NEAR Louisville, Sebastian Ebbinger shot Wm. Dietrich, Frank Burton and Rudelph Gessman. Dietrich is dead and Gossman will die.

A Mosque in the Sahara

interest was recently made in the Algerian Sahara. M. Tarry, who has en carrying on work in connection with the proposed Transahara rail-road, having noticed a mound of sand in the neighborhood of Wargal, had it dug up, and discovered the top of a dome. This naturally aroused his interest and, getting his Arabs to dig still deeper, he found underneath the do square tower, then a platform of ma sonry, and finally a complete mosque. Continuing the excavations M. Tarry soon unearthed seven houses in per fect preservation and came upon a sub-terranean water-course. At the last and M. Tarry was getting additional assistance to clear out the precious wa-ter-course, which he describes as suffi-cient to irrigate a small forest of palms. It is well known that the Sahara was at one time much more populated than it is now and its trade much more extensive, but no one seems to have supposed that cities had been buried under its sands, at least so recently as since the introduction of Mohammedanism. N. Y. Star.

FULLY-ANSWERED.

"Subscriber's" Query Causes Comment.
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was published in our columns a few days ago, signed "Subscriber" which dwell at some length upon a subject of general interest, and which contained several inquiries which will be found answered in the following:

To the Editor:—Several days ago I noticed a communication in your paper from "Subscriber," Ia which considerable comment was indulged in concerning the pamphlets which are widely distributed by Messrs. H. H. Warner & Co., of Rochester, N. Y. These pamphlets, as is well known, are published in order that the public may become conversant with the symptoms and growth of disease peculiar to the kidneys, and which is, it must be admitted, the productive cause, in a majority of instances, of other organic disorders. The publishers of these pamphlets are also the discoverers and manufacturers of the noted Warner's Safe Cure, which is known to be the only means fer the prevention and cure of kidney disease, as can be testified to in every community. In the pamphlets referred to there appear a number of testimonials from parties who speak in the highest terms of how they have in many instances been restored to health by Warner's Safe Cure, after having been given up by doctors to die, and attached to those ner's Safe Cure, after having been given up by doctors to die, and attached to those

up by doctors to die, and attached to those statements are the fac simile signatures of the parties themselves.

I am personally aware that all the testimonials published by this firm are genuine and are the voluntary statements of persons who are anxious to manifest their gratitude for the unexpected return of health and vigor which Warner's Safe Cure has brought them. To make assurance doubly sure, it can be added that Messrs. H. H. Warner & Co., have for years, published a standing offer of 15,000 to any-Messrs. H. H. Warner & Co., have for years, published a standing offer of \$5,000 to anyone who wiil prove to an impartial referee that any testimonial published by them is not, so far as they know, bona fide and absolutely true. What more does "Subscriber" desire to convince him, in addition to his own statement, that his neighbors all tell him that Warner's Safe Cure has done more good for them than they have received.

tell him that Warner's Safe Cure has done more good for them than they have received from the doctors.

In view, Mr. Editor, of the many persons who are sacrificed daily to the bigotry and ignorance of physicians who persust in treating patients for symptoms, called consumption, apoplexy, brain troubles, and nervous disorders, when the real cause is disease of the kidneys—which should be detected and quickly eradicated by the use of Warner's Safe Cure—I maintain that the value of those pamphiets, which place in the hands of the public the means of knowing the truth, can not be overestimated. ing the truth, can not be overestimated FAIR-PLAY. - Exchange.

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Hr.—(looking up from his paper).—"I see here that Johnny has got it." She—(inter-sted at once).—"Got what, William!" He —"His gun."

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Corn—No. 2 mixed
Oats-No. 2 mixed 47 65 45
HAY-Primate choice
TOBACCO-Medium leaf
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RUTTER-Choice dairy 15 to 14
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POTATOES-Perbush 33 & 35
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